

Remarks

The specification was amended to include the English translation of the sequence listing.

In SEQ ID NO:1, reference to the coding sequence was originally noted as nucleotides 350 to 1719. However, the enclosed SEQ ID NO:1 notes the coding sequence as 351 to 1721. Such a change is not new matter as the figure legend on page 6, lines 23-26, notes that the encoded protein is 456 amino acids, and those skilled in the art recognize "atg" as a universal start codon. The original notation for the coding sequence did not start at "atg".

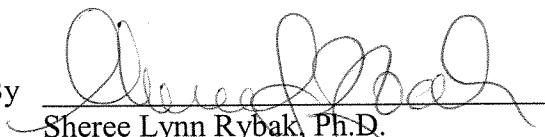
In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), the undersigned declares that the nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences presented in the electronic Sequence Listing in the .txt file submitted herewith, do not include any new matter which goes beyond the disclosure of the application as originally filed.

No new matter is added by this amendment.

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